

FUNCTIONING OF CO-OPERATIVE SOCIETIES IN THE STATE

No. 28 Sri B. G. BANAKAR (Hirekerur).—Will the Minister for Co-operation be pleased to state:—

(a) the total number of Societies in the State (Talukwise) registered under the provisions of the Mysore Societies Registration Act, 1960

(b) whether the Government is aware of the fact that many of these Societies are not sending the Balance Sheet Annual List of Governing Body statements and Returns etc as required under Section 13 of the Mysore Societies Registration Act, 1960 read with rule 7 of the Mysore Societies Registration Rules, 1961 to the authority concerned;

(c) if so, whether the Government would take drastic action against such defaulting Societies;

(d) whether large number of such Societies are not electing the governing body either annually, once in 3 years, once in 5 years or even during life time of the members of the governing body;

(e) whether the Government would take immediate action to frame rules regarding the enrolment of membership, election of the members of the governing body. Publication of accounts etc. for the reason that crores of rupees are involved in the High Schools, Colleges etc run by these Societies in the State?

Sri C. N. PATIL (Minister for Co-operation).—

(a) Total number of Societies registered in the State is 11,943 as per Districtwise list appended, since Talukwise list is not maintained

(b) Yes

(c) Yes.

(d) A few Societies.

(e) Suggestions will be considered.

Statement showing the number of Societies Registered upto 31-3-1973.

1	Bangalore	...	4,049
2	Kolar	...	509
3	Mysore	...	1,075
4	Shimoga	...	523
5	Chitradurga	...	520
6	South Kanara, Mangalore	...	978
7	Tumkur	...	618
8	Mandya	...	510
9	North Kanara, Karwar	...	156
10	Dharwar	...	472
11	Bidar	...	181
12	Belgaum	...	145

13	Hassan	...	337
14	Coorg	...	213
15	Gulbarga	...	365
16	Bijapur	...	314
17	Bellary	...	344
18	Raichur	...	324
19	Chickmagalur	..	310
Total			11,943

CASES HANDLED BY PUBLIC PROSECUTORS

No. 31 Sri B. G. BANAKAR (Hirekerur).—Will the Minister for Law and Municipal Administration be pleased to state.—

(a) the names of the Public Prosecutors in the State, (District wise),

(b) the names of Government Pleaders in the State, (District wise):

(c) the total number of cases handled and those won by them during the last three years,

(d) the action the Government will take if Public Prosecutors and Government Pleaders fail to conduct the cases successfully more than 50 per cent?

SRI D. K. NAIKAR (Minster for Law and Municipal Administration).—

(a) and (b) —*vide* List Append.

(c) Cases	Cases
<i>handled</i>	<i>won</i>
1,20,874	68,875

This includes the cases handled by Assistant Public Prosecutors also.

(d) The duties assigned to Government Pleaders and Public Prosecutors specified in the Karnataka Law Officers (conditions of service) Rules 1973. Under sub rules (3) and (4) of the said rules the services of a Government Pleader or Public Prosecutor could be removed or terminated for contravention of any provision of the said Rules or if he is guilty of any act or conduct which is incompatible with his duties as such Law Officer. The criterion for assessing the quality of work of a Public Prosecutor is whether he has represented the case of Government properly before courts. Failure to win in the cases conducted cannot be the sole ground for taking action against the Law Officer.